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AMENDMENT

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed 1 June 2006, please amend the above-identified patent

application as follows: Selection of claims for examination and amendments are reflected in the

listing of the claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper. Amendments to the specification begin

on page 6 of this paper. Amendments to the drawings begin on page 7. Remarks begin on page 8.

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